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Revival of feeding in the Government
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The members of the Representative Assembly have for some years past been pressing for the revival of feeding in the Government Brahmin Anna Chattram at Nanjangud. Upon enquiries made on the spot, I think that a revival of the feeding will supply a real want provided it takes place at night. I have therefore submitted a draft Order for approval.

2. The Chattram building was repaired recently and is in good condition; but the accommodation in it being very insufficient, I have added a paragraph with the view of acquiring another building which is close to our Chattram.

There is now a sum of Rs. 2464/ at the credit

of this Chattram.

Submitted to the Dewan

through the II Councillor.

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The papers in the enclosed file relate to the Chattram known as the Mundu Mutt-Chattram and the correspondence with the Executive Engineer, Vellore Division in connection with the proposed repairs to the Chattram.

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The file containing the proposal for the repair of the Chattram is now before the Dewan in connection with the grant of a free allowance to one Narasimha Shastry. That file contains the direction to issue only free rations in the Nayanigud Chattram.

Submitted to the Dewan 12/11/04

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The Government Brahmin Anna Chattram at Nanjangud, as distinguished from the Ganaradhane Chattram for Lingayets, is endowed with a cash grant of Rs. 1107 per annum. Feeding in the Chatiram was put a stop to some years ago, and the operations of the Chattram restricted to the issue of raw rations to Byragees &c. Since then, however, representations have been frequently made to Government on behalf of the large number of pilgrims visiting the celebrated shrine of Sri Srikanteswaraswami at Nanjangud, for the revival of feeding in the Chatiram. In view, however, of the fact that the large majority of the pilgrims resort to the -- Sivakocta in the temple, owing to its religious efficacy, for their meals at dd. time, and that most of the Madhva visitors are able to feed themselves, similarly of the Madras Sattar- pure at the Sri Parthasarathi Swami, it

or Rs. 92-4-0 per mensem.

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appears to the Government that feeding Brahmins at night in the Government Chattram will meet a real want. Government are accordingly pleased to direct that night feeding of Brahmins be arranged for immediately in the Chattram at Nanjangud. The grant of rations to Byragees &c., during the day, will continue as heretofore, but no rations should be given to any one for the night meal.

2. It is understood that there is already, in this Chattram, an establishment consisting of a Parpattegar on Rs 7, and a Jadmali on Rs. 2, per mensem. It seems sufficient if the services of a cook on pay not exceeding Rs. 6 per mensem be employed for the present for conducting the feeding. The Deputy Commissioner is accordingly authorized to entertain a cook of the Madhva caste immediately, and report after a trial of three months how the system works, and whether

any further increase of Establishment is absolutely necessary.

Deducting the total Establishment charges of Rs. 15 per mensem as now fixed, and the sums of Rs. 5, 5, and 2½, respectively, being the salaries of the Rig Veda, Yejur Veda and Sama Veda Teachers in the Sanskrit School at Nanjargud, ~~as fixed by~~ which are being disbursed under the orders of the Government, there remains a sum of Rs 64-12-0 per mensem out of the Tasdik grant, which, it is believed, will be found amply sufficient for feeding bona fide travellers at night time.

3. The institution must be conducted under the personal supervision of the Amildar and, in his absence, of the Taluk Sheristadar, who should check the daily accounts of the number of persons fed or given raw rations as the case may be. The Government are confident that, if the Chattram be worked economically, there will be a saving in the allotted Tasdik amount every month during the ordinary seasons of the year, which may be utilized during the Utsava occasions, when there will be larger

concourse of pilgrims than usual.

4. The full amount of the monthly Tasdik viz., Rs. 92-4-0 should be drawn by the Amildar at the beginning of the month and after meeting the Establishment and feeding charges, he should remit the balance to the Treasury on the last day of the month regularly with a view to credit the same to the funds of the Institution. Any excess amount that may be required for feeding during ~~the~~ extraordinary occasions will be specially sanctioned by Government from these savings.

5. The present Chattram building which was recently repaired and put in good order, is very small, and the accommodation to travellers ~~is~~ insufficient. It has no open ground attached to it. Behind the building, there is a Chattram belonging to certain Kunchigars of Mysore, but it is in a state of disrepair, and does not appear to be used by the public. The addition to the Government Anna Chattram

of this building which has a well and a back yard, will prove very useful to the travelling public. It seems therefore desirable to acquire this building under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Regulation, but before doing so, the Deputy Commissioner (Mr. Kantaraj Urs) is requested to use his good offices with the owners of the building to obtain it free of cost for the purposes of the Government Chattram, on the understanding that Government will put the building in good repair and use it for the benefit of the public. The Deputy Commissioner is requested to take early action in the matter and report the result to Government.

The orders may be executed
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Secretary,
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To,

The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District.

,, Comptroller, Mysore Government.

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